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## AMENDMENT

**Commissioner for Patents  
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**Sir:**

In response to the Official Action dated June 14, 2005, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified patent application as follows: